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Ms. LaDonna Castañuela Chief Clerk Texas Commission on Environmental Quality Bldg. F, Room 4301 Austin, Texas 78753 **VIA HAND DELIVERY** 

RE:

TCEQ Docket No. 2008-1616-WR; SOAH Docket No. 582-10-0293; In Re: Application No. 14-1318B by City of San Angelo for Amendment to Certificate of Adjudication No. 14-1318.

Dear Ms. Castañuela:

On October 25, 2010, the City of San Angelo (the "City" or the "Applicant") received the Proposal for Decision issued by Administrative Law Judge Sharon Cloninger following the contested case hearing on the above-referenced application (the "1318B PFD"). Upon receipt of the 1318B PFD, the City conducted a careful review of Judge Cloninger's recommendation, the reasoning supporting her recommendation as articulated in the 1318B PFD, as well as each of the Judge's findings of fact and conclusions of law as described in her proposed order.

The Applicant believes that the PFD reflects the Judge's careful consideration of the issues relevant to the above-referenced application. It certainly demonstrates her thoughtful analysis of the evidence admitted into the record during the evidentiary hearing. And, the ultimate conclusions she reaches in each instance are supported by the overwhelming weight of evidence admitted during the hearing.

Accordingly, the Applicant takes no exception to any of the findings of fact or conclusions of law made by Judge Cloninger, and it urges the Commission to consider following the Judge's recommendation on the application and issuing the proposed order included with the 1318B PFD.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that a true copy of the foregoing correspondence was delivered by hand delivery, facsimile, or by email to the persons listed in the attached SOAH service list on this, the 12th day of November 2010.

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